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National Transportation Safety Board	NTS	B ID:	CEN09RA44	13	Aircraft Registration Number: VT-MST				
FACTUAL REPORT	Осси	ırrenc	e Date: 07/13	3/2009	Most Critical Injury: None				
AVIATION ETYBON	Осси	ırrenc	_{e Type:} Incide	ent	Investigated B	y: Fore	ign		
Location/Time									
Nearest City/Place	State	Zip	Code	Local Time	Time Zone				
Kerry		00	0000	0815	UTC				
Airport Proximity: Off Airport/Airstrip	om La	anding Facility:							
Aircraft Information Summary									
Aircraft Manufacturer			Model/Series	3		Type of Aircraft			
GULFSTREAM			GIV/SP				Airplane		
Revenue Sightseeing Flight: No			Air N	Medical Transport	Flight: No				

Narrative

Brief narrative statement of facts, conditions and circumstances pertinent to the accident/incident:

On July 13, 2009, at 0815 Coordinated Universal Time, a Gulfstream Aerospace G IV SP, VT-MST, registered to Asia Aviation Ltd, descended below the minimum safe altitude and flew near mountainous terrain in instrument meteorological conditions after departing from the Kerry Airport (EIKY), Farranfore, Ireland. The two crew members and passenger were not injured.

The AAIU requested an analysis of the pilot's forward windscreen which experienced a failure of the outboard glass ply.

An analysis of the windscreen was conducted at PPG Aerospace under the supervision of the National Transportation Safety Board. Analysis results were submitted to the Irish investigator-in-charge for consideration.

In addition, several sections of the outboard glass ply were swabbed for potential bird deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA). The samples were tested by the Smithsonian Institution's Feather Identification Lab which determined that bird DNA was not present.

This investigation is under the jurisdiction of the Government of Ireland. This report is for information purposes only and contains only information released by the Government of Ireland. Further information pertaining to his accident may be obtained from:

Air Accident Investigation Unit (AAIU)
Department of Transportation
44 Kildare St
Dublin 2
Ireland
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AVIATION			Occurrence Type: Incident									
Landing Facility/Approach In	formation											
Airport Name		Д	airport ID:	A	irport Elevation	Run	way Used	Runwa	ay Lengt	:h	Runv	way Width
Kerry Airport			ΞΙΚΥ		Ft. MSL	. N/A	A					
Runway Surface Type:												
Runway Surface Condition:												
Approach/Arrival Flown: NONE	Ē											
VFR Approach/Landing: None												
Aircraft Information												
Aircraft Manufacturer GULFSTREAM			Mode GIV/		ies				Serial 1379		∋r	
Airworthiness Certificate(s):												
Landing Gear Type: Retractable	- Tricycle											
Amateur Built Acft? No	Number of Seats:		Certifie	ed M	lax Gross Wt.			LBS	Numbe	er of Er	ngines	: 2
Engine Type:			Engine Ma	anuf	acturer:		Model/Series:				Rate	ed Power:
- Aircraft Inspection Information												
Type of Last Inspection		ľ	Date of Las	st In:	spection	Time Si	nce Last Insp		ours	Airfrai	me To	tal Time Hours
- Emergency Locator Transmitter (ELT) Information											
ELT Installed?/Type			ELT Opera	ated?	?	ELT Aid	ded in Locatin	g Accide	ent Site	?		
Owner/Operator Information												
Registered Aircraft Owner			Street	Addı	ress							
Asia Aviation Ltd			City Sta									Zip Code
			Street A	Addr								
Operator of Aircraft										I a.	. 1	
Asia Aviation Ltd			City		New Delhi					Sta	te	Zip Code
Operator Does Business As:						Ol	perator Desig	nator Co	ode:			
- Type of U.S. Certificate(s) Held: I												
Air Carrier Operating Certificate(s)	:											
Operating Certificate:					Operator Certific	cate:						
Regulation Flight Conducted Unde	r: Unknown											
Type of Flight Operation Conducted	 ::											
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AVIATION					Occurrence Type: Incident										
First Pilo	t Information		•												
Name							City	у				Sta	te	Date of Birth	Age
Sex:	Seat Occupied	:		Occu	upational Pil	ot?					Cer	rtificat	te Numb	per:	l
Certificate	(s):										•				
Airplane R	ating(s):														
Rotorcraft/	Glider/LTA:														
Instrument	Rating(s):														
Instructor I	Rating(s):														
Current Bie	ennial Flight Revie	ew?													
Medical Ce	ert.:	Medica	al Cert. S	tatus:						D	ate of La	ast Me	edical E	xam:	
- Flight Tin	ne Matrix	All A/C	This Make and Model	s	Airplane Single Engine	Airplane Mult-Engine		Night	Actual	Instrumer	nt Simulated		Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
Total Time	•						\perp								
Pilot In Co	mmand(PIC)		<u> </u>	\dashv			\perp					\perp			
Instructor				\rightarrow			\bot					_			
Instruction	Received			\rightarrow			\bot					4			
Last 90 Da				\dashv			+			_		_			
Last 30 Da			 	+			+					_			
Last 24 Ho		<u> </u>													
Seatbelt U	sed?	Shou	ulder Harr	ness L	Used?			Toxico	ology Pe	rforme	ed?		Se	econd Pilot? Ye	es
Flight Pla	an/Itinerary						_								
Type of Fli	ght Plan Filed: Uı	nknown													
Departure	Point							State		Airport	t Identifie	er	Depar	rture Time	Time Zone
Same as Accident/Incident Location						EI		EIKY	IKY				UTC		
Destination	n							State		Airpor	t Identifie	er			
London										EGG\	W				
Type of CI	earance: Unkno	wn													
Type of Ai	rspace:														
Weather	Information														
Source of	Wx Information:														
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Wind Direction: Visibility (RVR): Ft. Visibility (RVV) Precip and/or Obscuration:	SL W	VoF Dis	stance From Ft. AGI	L	NM Condition of		Direction From A	Accident Site Deg. Mag. "Hg
WOF ID Observation Time Time Zone WOF Elevation Sky/Lowest Cloud Condition: Lowest Ceiling: Ft. AG Temperature: °C Dew Point: °C V Wind Direction: Wind Speed: Visibility (RVR): Ft. Visibility (RVV) S Precip and/or Obscuration:	SL SL Weather	Visibil Conditi	Ft. AGI lity: ions at Accid	L	NM Condition of		nt:	Deg. Mag.
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Visibility (RVR): Ft. Visibility (RVV) S Precip and/or Obscuration:	6M	Wind	Gusts:					
Precip and/or Obscuration:	SM							
Accident Information								
Aircraft Damage: None Aircraft Fire: N	None				Aircraft Exp	olosio	n None	
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- Injury Summary Matrix Fatal Serious Minor	Non	ne	TOTAL					
First Pilot		1	1					
Second Pilot								
Student Pilot								
Flight Instructor								
Check Pilot								
Flight Engineer								
Cabin Attendants								
Other Crew		1	1					
Passengers		1	1					
- TOTAL ABOARD -		3	3					
Other Ground								
- GRAND TOTAL -		3	3					

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Investigator-In-Charge (IIC)

Jason T. Aguilera

Additional Persons Participating in This Accident/Incident Investigation:

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Clinton Crookshanks

National Transporation Safety Board (NTSB)

Denver, CO